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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.